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Examiner Kriellion A. Sanders  
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Re: United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/036,567 Filed December 21, 2001  
Our Docket No.: 201ES045  
Customer No.: 37535

Dear Examiner Sanders:

The United States Patent and Trademark Office Patent Electronic Business Center has informed us that United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/036,567 cannot be associated with our **customer number 37535** because Thoburn T. Dunlap and/or Joe A. Powell are not listed as an attorney of record. Please see the attached Declaration and Power of Attorney form dated and filed on December 21, 2001.

As you can see, both Thoburn T. Dunlap and Joe A. Powell have Power of Attorney for this case and have had it since December, 2001. Therefore, I am requesting that you associate our United States Patent Application No. 10/036,567 with **customer number 37535** and be sure that both the above are listed as having Power of Attorney.

If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know.

I look forward to receiving confirmation that the customer number has been added to your file and that Thoburn T. Dunlap and Joe A. Powell are listed as having Power of Attorney.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Very truly yours,

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